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1. On 26 Aug 53, 62 Stalin T-II tanks were unloaded at the Georgental railway station in Thuringia. The tanks were new. They moved off towards Ordruft.
2. On 30 Aug 53, a train loaded with a Soviet artillery unit arrived at Ordruft from the Schmitz area. The guns followed by freight train a few hours later. The troops were taken off in freight trucks towards headquarters. The guns were covered with tarpaulins so that the caliber could not be determined.

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